Girls Rise Up

A STEM-BASED DANCE CAMP
July 9 - July 20

STEM FROM DANCE

GIRLS RISE UP OVERVIEW

This summer, join a community of ambitious students for an inspiring summer experience unlike any other camp in the world. Spend two weeks falling in love with code and dance – and the magic that happens when you bring the two together. Over the course of the program, you will be introduced to software and electrical engineering principles, as well as choreography principles, in order to create a dance routine that integrates the two. You will collaborate with inspiring instructors and fellow participants to explore the incredible world of code and dance with hands-on learning.

On the final day of camp, you will perform the tech-infused routines you've created in a group showcase, as well as exhibit and discuss the tech aspect of the routines. You will leave the STEM From Dance Summer Intensive knowing how to write code, construct circuits, create movement, think creatively, and collaborate with peers.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- New York City girls ages 12 - 17
- Able to arrange your own transportation to and from camp each day
- Able to attend the full duration of the two-week camp
- No previous code/dance experience necessary

GIRLS RISE UP DETAILS

July 9 - July 20
Monday - Friday
9AM - 3PM

Bishop Loughlin High School
357 Clermont Ave, Brooklyn, NY
*In Fort Grene, 5-minute walking distance from:

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Only 75 spots available
2 instructors to every cohort of 25

HOW TO APPLY

Fill out an application form at
stemfromdance.org/summer-intensive
by Sunday, May 6 11:59 PM.

Admission decisions will be made by mid-May and deposits are due within ten days of learning your admission decision.

COST

$350
The cost is subsidized through the generous support of a sponsor.

SCHOLARSHIPS
Scholarships for tuition assistance are available for those who require financial support in order to participate. Refer to the application for more information.

OUR MISSION

STEM From Dance sets out to give girls the awareness and opportunity to prepare for a STEM education that excites them—through the creative and confidence-building aspects of dance. We deliver an integrated dance and STEM program designed to uncover the awesomeness of STEM through:
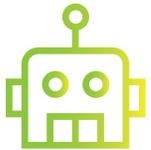
AWARENESS
We get them excited about the many creative and technical jobs available, encouraging them to pursue an education in STEM.

CONFIDENCE
Our girls build their confidence and creativity through dance, providing a strong foundation to learn the STEM basics using analogies between the two disciplines.

EXPERIENCE
With their newfound confidence, they create challenging, technology-infused performances using the skills they learn in the STEM training they receive – ultimately preparing them for a STEM education.

For seven years, we have operated in partnership with over 15 NYC schools and 400 girls. Our work has been recognized by Glamour magazine, Essence magazine, Fast Company, and more!

GLAMOUR ESSENCE FAST COMPANY

A TYPICAL DAY AT *GIRLS RISE UP*

9:00 - 9:30
MORNING INSPIRATION
Gather to get energized for the day's activities. This can include a guest speaker, a confidence-boosting activity, or an inspirational video.

9:30 - 11:45
PROJECT TIME: LEARN & DO
Cohorts of 20-25 students will spend the morning building a new tech skill, applying it to their project, and learning choreography.

11:45 - 12:15
LUNCH
In addition to lunch, you will spend time creating new and deeper relationships with one another.

12:15 - 2:30
PROJECT TIME: LEARN & DO
Return to your cohort to learn and apply a new skill.

2:30 - 3:00
AFTERNOON CONNECTION
Come together to share your routines so far, exchange constructive feedback, reflect on the day, and celebrate each other.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

DO I NEED TO BRING MY OWN COMPUTER?
We encourage you to bring your own laptop if you have one. If not, we'll have computers available for you to use.

DO I NEED EXPERIENCE TO APPLY?
Whether you've never written a line of code or you're a full-fledged hacker, the program is for anyone who's excited about learning to code. Same goes with dance - we welcome beginner and experienced dancers. We make sure everyone is comfortable, yet challenged.

DO I NEED TO PROVIDE MY OWN TRANSPORTATION?
It is expected that you provide your own transportation to and from class each day. However, we provide Metrocards to students who are awarded a scholarship.

ARE MEALS PROVIDED?
Participants are provided with lunch during class days as well as snacks and beverages throughout the intensive.

CONTACT
Feel free to send any questions to info@stemfromdance.org. We would love to hear from you!